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§ 200.28 Issuance of instructions.

- (a) Within the spheres of responsibilities heretofore set forth, Division and Office Heads, and all Regional Directors may issue such definitive instructions as may be necessary pursuant to this section.
- (b) All existing procedures and authorizations not inconsistent with this section shall continue in effect until and unless modified by definitive instructions issued pursuant to this paragraph.

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§ 200.29 Rules.

The individual operating divisions shall have the initial responsibility for proposing amendments to existing rules or new rules under the statutory provisions within the jurisdiction of the particular division. Where any such proposals presents a legal problem or is a matter of first impression, or involves a matter of enforcement policy or questions involving statutes other than those administered by the Commission, or may have an effect on prior judicial precedent or pending litigation, submission of the proposal should be made to the Office of the General Counsel for an expression of opinion prior to presentation of the matter to the Commission.

§ 200.30-1 Delegation of authority to Director of Division of Corporation Finance.

Pursuant to the provisions of Pub. L., No. 87-592, 76 Stat. 394 (15 U.S.C. 78d-1, 78d-2), the Securities and Exchange Commission hereby delegates, until the Commission orders otherwise, the following functions to the Director of the Division of Corporation Finance, to be performed by him or under his direction by such person or persons as may be designated from time to time by the Chairman of the Commission:

- (a) With respect to registration of securities pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933 (15 U.S.C. 77a et seq.), and Regulation C thereunder (§ 230.400 et seq. of this chapter):
- (1) To determine the effective dates of amendments to registration state-

ments filed pursuant to section 8(c) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 77h(c)).

- (2) To consent to the withdrawal of registration statements or amendments or exhibits thereto, pursuant to Rule 477 (§230.477 of this chapter), and to issue orders declaring registration statements abandoned, pursuant to Rule 479 (§230.479 of this chapter).
- (3) To grant applications for confidential treatment of contract provisions pursuant to Rule 406 (§230.406 of this chapter) under the Act; to issue orders scheduling hearings on such applications and to deny any such application as to which the applicant waives his right to a hearing, provided such applicant is advised of his right to have such denial reviewed by the Commission.
- (4) To accelerate the use or publication of any summary prospectus filed with the Commission pursuant to section 10(b) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 77j(b)) and Rule 431(g) (§ 230.431(g) of this chapter) thereunder.
- (5) To take the following action pursuant to section 8(a) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 77h(a)):
- (i) To determine registration statements to be effective within shorter periods of time than 20 days after the filing thereof;
- (ii) To consent to the filing of amendments prior to the effective dates of registration statements as part thereof, or to determine that amendments filed prior to the effective dates of registration statements have been filed pursuant to orders of the Commission, so as to be treated as parts of the registration statements for the purpose of section 8(a) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 77h(a));
- (iii) To determine to be effective applications for qualification of trust indentures filed with registration statements.
- (6) Pursuant to instructions as to financial statements contained in forms adopted under the Act:
- (i) To permit the omission of one or more financial statements therein required or the filing in substitution therefor of appropriate statements of comparable character, or
- (ii) To require the filing of other financial statements in addition to, or in